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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4863**
Hidenao SUZUKI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004_0147A
Serial No. 10/767,253 : Group Art Unit 1742
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ELECTROLYTIC PROCESSING APPARATUS
AND SUBSTRATE PROCESSING APPARATUS

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of October 11, 2006, Applicants hereby elect Group I, which is drawn to an electrolytic processing apparatus and is embodied by claims 1-70 and 78-82.

Having made the required election, a full examination on the merits of the elected group is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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